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Lon Thomas
American Stone
4040 South 300 West
Salt Lake City, Utah 84107

Re: Permit Review Status, Peoa Blonde Mine, M/043/012, Summit County, Utah

Dear Mr. Thomas:

On October 8, 1999, the Division received American Stone's response to the Division's initial review deficiency letter regarding the mining and reclamation plan for the Peoa Blonde mine. Due to a backlog of other permit reviews and permitting issues, the Division has not been able to complete a review of this response within the usual timeframe. We apologize for the delay and any inconvenience this may cause you.

We hope to complete our review of your application within the next 20 - 30 days. We appreciate your patience and understanding in this regard. Please contact me if you have questions or concerns with this proposed review schedule.

Sincerely,

Joelle Burns
Minerals Secretary

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